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For: BATTERY SELF-WARMING MECHANISM USING
THE INVERTER AND THE BATTERY MAIN
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Please amend the specification as follows:

Page 4, line 19, after "generating" delete "and" and insert --an-- therefor.

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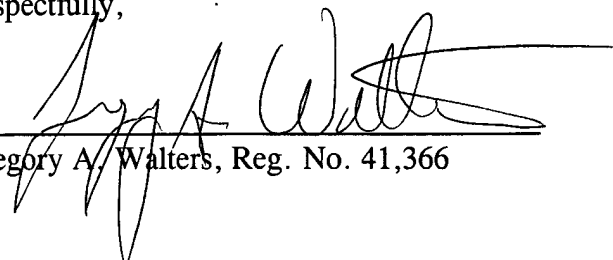
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